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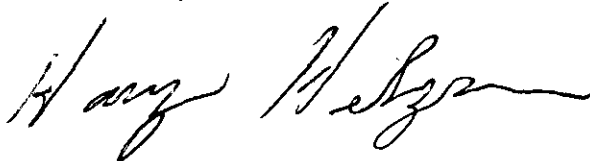
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Deborah Branch  
Charles Lay Branch (Both us)  
deaf

→ 15 mins → (call EMS)  
URS SAVE MY Life, 'Cause  
faster than TTY take so longer  
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2524 Goldenmoon St.  
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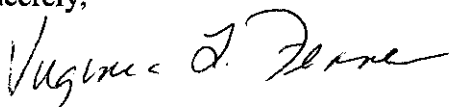
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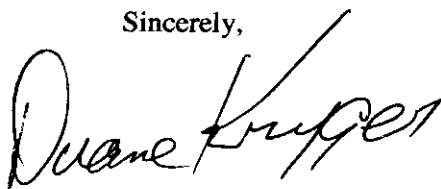
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